

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Replace the paragraph starting at page 4, line 9, and ending on page 4, line 11, with the following:

Yet another object of the invention is to provide such a void former which is easier to use ~~then~~ than prior art void formers both in its installation and removal.

Replace the paragraph starting at page 9, line 24, and ending at page 10, line 10, with the following:

The dimensions of the void former vary, depending upon the size of the anchor and lifting bail with which the former is intended to be used. Representative outside dimensions for an insert designed for use with a large anchor are: length-8.45 inches; width-3.4 inches; depth-3.25 inches. The wall thickness of the shell and cap is approximately .12 inches. The radius of the undersurface of the void former in this example would be approximately 3.4 inches. This radius extends up 60 degrees from the vertical center line of the void former on either side and merges with a generally tangential surface which extends to the top of the void former (Figs. 5 and 6). Although the material from which the void former is formed may be any suitable resilient polymer, polypropylene copolymer, reprocessed, is preferred. Other possibilities for example, are: styrenic copolymer (i.e. Phillips 66 ~~Kraton~~ KRATON); polyester elastomer (i.e. DuPont ~~Hytrel~~ HYTREL); polyethelene, low and hi density; toughened 66 nylon; polyurethane; polyether block amide (i.e. Autofina ~~Pebax~~ PEBAX); styrene butadiene copolymer (i.e. K resin); flexible PVC; EPDM Rubber; and polypropylene homopolymer reprocessed.